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ROYALTY FOR the 15th annual Porterville Roundup, May 5 and 6, are, from left, Pat Bastian, queen of the Roundup; and Mickie Norwood and Maytie Gemmell, attendants. The girls are making a number of public appearances during the week; they will ride in the Western Parade Saturday morning, and will appear both days of the Roundup. Official Coronation ball is set for tomorrow night, Friday, at Porterville high school, with attendance limited to high school and college students. (Jim Lusk photos)



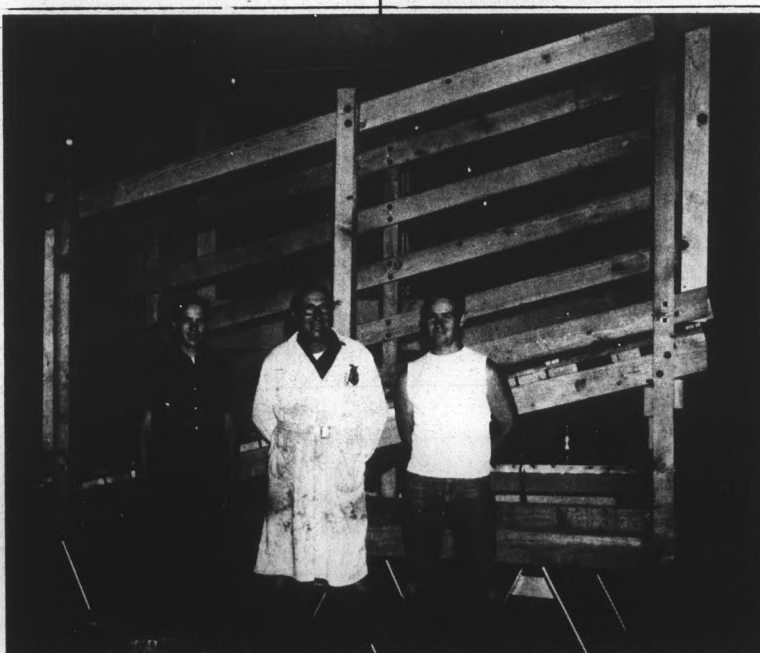
RAFAEL MENDEZ, one of the world's finest trumpeters, who will appear as soloist with the Porterville High School Panther band, when the band presents its annual spring concert in the Memorial auditorium, May 11, at 8 p.m. Mendez, who appeared with the band two years ago, has been called "the Heifetz of the trumpet"; he is nationally known through concert, television and motion picture appearances.



WILBUR PLAUGHER, a rancher at Prather, California, and one of the top clowns and bullfighters on the professional rodeo circuit, who will perform in the arena at the Porterville Round-Up May 5 and 6. Plaugher is also a steer wrestler, just missing the national RCA championship in 1958. He will entertain, and also compete, at the Round-Up, going after prize money as well as providing laughs and thrills for rodeo fans.

## Fair Deadline

PORTERVILLE, May 3 — Deadline for entries in the Porterville fair is Saturday, May 5, at 5 p.m.; entry cards have been distributed by department heads to 4-H and Future Farmer leaders, however, cards can now be obtained from Director Chet Gilbert, head of the Livestock division. Cards should be mailed prior to the deadline to P. O. Box 369, Porterville.



HANDLING OF livestock at the Porterville fair, May 17, 18, and 19, will be speeded up by a second loading chute, constructed in the agricultural mechanics classes at Porterville high school. With the chute, in above photo, are, from left: Bill Wilcox, Ray Kennedy, faculty member; and Sparky Noble. The fair board provided the material; Wilcox and Noble did the work. (Farm Tribune photo)

## FUN AT THE FAIR MAY 17-19

PORTERVILLE, May 3 — There will be fun at the fair, come May 17, 18 and 19 in Porterville, as directors put the final polish on program for three days and nights of entertainment.

Outdoor show, presented in front of the municipal park grandstand each evening at 8:15 o'clock, will feature five top professional acts, plus other special entertainment.

Elementary-age youngsters from throughout the community will put a wide variety of pets in the fair's spotlight on May 17, when the annual pet parade takes off at 6:30 p.m.

On Saturday night, May 19, at 7:15 o'clock, Porterville's Panther band, directed by Buck Shaffer, will appear in concert on the main stage. Each afternoon of the fair, starting at 6:30 p.m., elementary school bands will entertain.

Horses will play a prominent part in the fair program — an official Pacific Coast Quarter Horse show is set for the afternoon of May 18; a cutting horse contest, also an official association show, is slated for May 17 at 5:00 p.m.; on the morning of May 19 the fair's annual Gymkhana will provide competition for junior riders of the area.

During the first two days of the fair, Future Farmers and 4-H club members will be in the show ring with their fine-quality beef, swine,

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## Flower Show Shaping Up For Porterville Fair

PORTERVILLE, May 3 — Shaping up again as one of the most colorful sections of the Porterville fair is the annual flower show that is sponsored by the Porterville Garden club.

The competitive show is open to anyone in the community who cares to participate; general chairman is Mrs. Kenneth Billingsley; president of the Garden Club is Mrs. A. K. Hodgson.

Other committee heads include: Mrs. Mildred Roberts, entries; Mrs. Harold Weisenberger, classifications; and Mrs. Virgil Hodgson, staging.

Judges will be Mesdames Clayton Hill, J. R. Burum, and Helen Moore.

Classes include: Potted plants, broken down into African violets, Begonias, Coleus, Ivy, Ferns, Orchids, and unclassified; arrangements: low arrangements, low arrangements with figurines, vertical arrangements, Oriental arrangements, mixed bouquets, flowers with vegetables and/or fruit, suggesting seasons, suggesting

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## NOBLE IS TOP WINNER AT FRESNO

PORTERVILLE, May 3 — Sparky Noble, Porterville Future Farmer, won top individual honors in overall farm and power machinery section of annual Fresno State College Future Farmer Field day held over the weekend in Fresno.

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QUITE A gal is Corine Williams, shown above in exhibition steer wrestling. She will appear in this event, also bronc riding, as a special arena attraction during the 15th annual Porterville Round-Up, Saturday and Sunday afternoons at the Rocky Hill arena on east Putnam avenue. Grand entry for the RCA-approved show is 2 p.m. each day.

## WORLD CHAMPION COWBOYS GO INTO ROUND-UP ACTION AT ARENA SATURDAY, SUNDAY

PORTERVILLE, May 3 — Cowboys and cowgals — genuine and of the drugstore variety — will have their fling this weekend in Porterville, the genuines being professional cowboys who will be riding for the profit motive and world championship points in the 15th annual Porterville Round-Up Saturday and Sunday afternoons at the Rocky Hill arena.

As for the drugstore variety, Porterville citizens are decked out this week in western garb, pointing toward the Round-Up, and the western parade that will open the weekend at 10 a.m. Saturday.

And there will be a real cowgirl in town — Corine Williams, from Fort Smith, Arkansas, who not only sings and plays the guitar, but who will put on a demonstration of wild bronc riding and steer wrestling as arena features of the Round-Up during both shows.

Some of the top names of professional rodeo will be on hand when the grand entry takes off at 2 p.m. Mel Lampert will announce the show; Wilbur Plaugher will appear as clown and bullfighter; and the famous Christensen Brothers rodeo string will provide tough competition for cow-

boys. Porterville's fancy, all-girl riding group — the Canterbelles — will present their drill each afternoon; local cowboys will compete

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## Record Entry For Round-Up

PORTERVILLE, May 3 — A record number of cowboys — more than 200 top professionals — are expected to sign up for the Porterville Round-Up May 5 and 6. Already pointing for Porterville are:

Harley May, Sonny Tureman, Al Hooper, Jim Rodriguez, Sr. and Jr., R. D. Rutledge, Walt Mason, Eddie Akridge, Bob Sheppard, Enoch Walker, Bill Kunkle, Bert Mitchell,

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## BEST FAT STOCK AND DAIRY EXHIBIT PREDICTED FOR 4-H FAIR; SALE AND TRACTOR DRIVING FINAL SATURDAY

VISALIA, May 3 — The livestock and dairy show at the Tulare County 4-H fair at the fairgrounds in Tulare, May 4 and 5, will be one of the best exhibits in the San Joaquin valley, says Tulare County Farm Advisor John Emo.

Beef, swine and sheep exhibits will be brought to the fairgrounds Thursday evening, May 3, and Friday morning, May 4. Fat and feeder animals will be weighed and classified. Judging of these classes will take place at 7:00 p.m., Friday; the beef in a show ring set up in the junior livestock barn, and the swine and sheep in the swine pavilion.

Competition in the beef classes will be keen with 50 or more animals competing for championship honors and the right to sell first in the sale to be held Saturday at

1:30 p.m. There will be a num-

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## "WORK SMARTER, NOT HARDER" IS MEETING THEME

PORTERVILLE, May 3 — "Work Smarter, Not Harder", a short course in Home management, will be presented by Mary Ruth Dewey, Tulare County Home advisor, in Porterville at the Southern California Edison company, Living Center, 805 N. Main Street on May 8, 10, and 15, from 1:30 to 3:30 in the afternoon.

"Gain Time in the Kitchen" will be presented on Tuesday, May 8; "Laundry Know-How Helps Too" on Thursday, May 10, and "Good House Grooming" on Tuesday, May 15. All homemakers are welcome; there is no fee.



## Editorial Comment

### HAPPY HARLAN AGAIN

Happy Harlan seems to be at it again — Congressman Harlan Hagen, that is, what with his name coming up in connection with the trial of Billy Sol Estes, a big Texas boy who is telling in court about certain of his questionable activities with other folks' money.

Seems that Harlan took \$218.76 from Mr. Estes to pay for printing 25,000 copies of a speech that Harlan had read into the congressional record so that the speech could be mailed out through the use of Harlan's franking privilege.

(In case you don't know about franking, that is the process through which federal legislators mail postage-free material to their constituents; postage-free means that taxpayers foot the postage bill.)

Now Harlan says he didn't agree with parts of the talk in the first place; he was reluctant to read it into the record; he says he is really just an innocent bystander. But he did read it into the record so that it could qualify for franked mailing.

Of course Harlan is an expert at the franking business. A few weeks ago he put out a mass mailing in his congressional district that covers Kern, Tulare and Kings counties; the mailing was in the form of a survey on answers to pertinent questions facing the nation. And the printing of the survey form, so it was stated, was not at government expense.

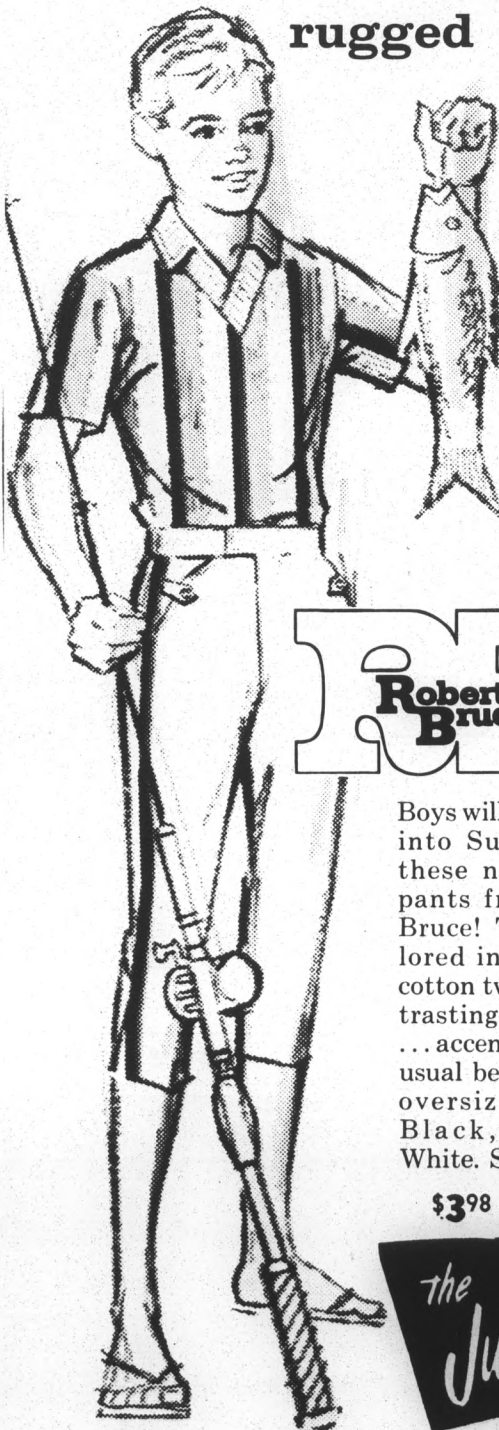
But in an election year it is pretty nice to be able to put your name in virtually every home in your congressional district, and have the government pick up the tab for a few thousand dollars worth of postage.

And Harlan is not exactly a stranger to the law. Remember a few years back when he got involved with a goodly supply of liquor, was picked up in Fresno for being drunk, then beat the rap by using congressional immunity and taking off for Washington?

So we're not surprised at Harlan being an innocent bystander in the Estes case. We just regret that he has to be our congressman.

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### Put Speech In Record Hagen Declares He Was An 'Innocent Bystander'

(From The Fresno Bee)

WASHINGTON — Congress Harlan Hagen of the 17th, Kings, Kern and Tulare Counties, district today described himself as an innocent bystander in the Billy Sol Estes case.

During a court of inquiry yesterday in Dallas, letters were introduced showing Estes paid Hagen \$218.76 for printing costs for 25,000 copies of a speech by Dr. James T. Ralph, a former assistant secretary of agriculture.

Texas Attorney General Will Wilson introduced the letters that said the speech had been entered into the Congressional Record by Hagen and would be mailed out through the use of Hagen's franking privilege. The speech was titled, "Promoting And Protecting The American Way Of Life In Agriculture."

Hagen said he reluctantly introduced the speech into the record. He said he was reluctant because he does not endorse everything in it. Hagen said William Morris, a former assistant of Ralph's who was fired this week for not showing up in Dallas to testify about his relationship with

Estes, had been badgering Hagen's staff to have the speech put into the record.

Hagen said when the check came in to pay for the printing costs he did not pay any attention to who paid, assuming it was a group of Texas farmers who wanted the speech circulated, and hence the acceptance was proper. He said he had the speech printed as a favor to Dr. Ralph.

He said the speech was States Department of Agriculture. The speech was made, he said, before an agricultural stabilization and conservation committee in California.

### YOUR LEGISLATOR AT WORK!



Every California voter has the legal opportunity to participate personally in the legislative process by voting on proposed constitutional amendments and state bond issues. None of us should neglect his responsibility to cast his ballot on such proposals.

During the weeks of our 1962 sessions, I referred frequently in this column to the bond issues for various purposes which were before us. All four new bond proposals, as well as one which we passed in 1961, are to go on the June 5 primary election ballot.

So many constituents have asked that I review the bond proposals again that I am taking advantage of this opportunity to do so.

Proposition No. 1 on the June ballot is a \$200 million bond issue to continue the school building loan program started in 1949. Revenues from sale of the bonds would be used to make loans to school districts which have already bonded themselves locally to the legal maximum, but which still need more funds to build classrooms for unhoused pupils.

The argument for approval of this measure can be briefed quickly. A half million more pupils are expected to

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### Investment Views



#### WHO NEEDS HELP?

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## Vandalia 4-H Hears Reports At April Meeting

VANDALIA, May 3 — Various reports were heard at April meeting of the Vandalia 4-H club, held at the Vandalia school.

Sherry Maloney, Rhonda Hale, Bob Marshall, and Herbert Muller gave project reports; leaders reported on project tour to the Naval Air station at Lemoore, on the 4-H fair coming up this weekend, and on the Porterville fair, May 17, 18, and 19.

## FUN AT

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and lambs; at 1:00 p.m. on May 19 the annual junior fat stock sale will be underway, with finished animals going under the auctioneer's hammer enroute to food lockers and home freezers.

Colorful commercial displays, carrying the 1962 fair theme of "Fiesta" will be open throughout the three days and nights; in co-operation with a community-wide Agri-Business week, the fair will offer a salute to agriculture each night.

And women — men too — who have a "green thumb" will bring their best in flowers and arrangements for competitive judging, and for display in the fair's flower show.

Livestock exhibitors will be honored at their second annual banquet, set for May 19 in the American Legion hall just off the fair grounds.

Single price of admission to the grounds — \$1.50 for adults; 50 cents for high school and college students; and 25 cents for children — covers the entire fair, including the nightly grandstand show.

The Porterville fair, now in its 15th year, is a community project, operated without aid of state funds. It is the largest event of its kind in California that is entirely community supported.

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**NEW PRESIDENT** of the Tulare County Tuberculosis and Health association is Bob Serbian, of Visalia, superintendent of the Sunnyside school and a former resident of Porterville. He was elected at annual dinner meeting of the association held Thursday night in Porterville.

## COWBOYS

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in a special team roping event.

Professional cowboys high in national standings are expected to sign for the Round-Up prior to the deadline date. Round-Up headquarters is at 520 North Main street.

Official RCA events of the Round-Up will include: Saddle bronc riding, bareback bronc riding, calf roping, team roping, steer wrestling, bull riding and girls' barrel race.

Kuzzin Herb Henson, and his TV Trading Post gang, will be at the old Cummings barn Saturday night for official Round-Up dance; a beacon light in the sky will mark the site for out-of-towners.

A colorful western parade, with Owen Hoover riding as grand marshal, will move down Porterville's Main street at 10 a.m. Saturday, featuring western riders and vehicles, bands and marching units. No motor-driven vehicles are allowed in the parade.

Reigning over the Round-Up will be Queen Pat Bastian, with Maytie Gemmell and Mickie Norwood as attendants. They will be honored at a Coronation ball at Porterville high school Friday night; this event is for high school and college students.

A new event this year is a cowboy golf tournament, set for the Porterville Municipal course on Friday; eligible to compete are all cowboys signed for Round-Up action.

## STATE ANTELOPE HERD INCREASES

SACRAMENTO, May 3 — California's antelope herds now total about 2,300 animals, an increase of 19 per cent over last year. Annual count is made by the state department of fish and game through an aerial survey.

## Y-CAMP SIGNUP SATURDAY IN PORTERVILLE

PORTERVILLE, May 3 — Parents are reminded that YMCA Day Camp sign-up for young campers is Saturday, May 5, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Gibson's Stationery Store, 429 North Main.

Two periods, June 18-22 and June 25-29, are available for boys and girls entering 1st (provided they have attended kindergarten) 2nd, 3rd and 4th grade next school term.

Day Camping offers opportunities for the experiences and thrills of mountain camping. For the younger camper it provides an orientation to camping, yet allows him to be at home at night. A typical day in camp will include Indian Crafts, stories, games, songs, nature crafts, archery, rest period and chapel.

The enrollment fee for each camping period is \$13.00, which includes craft materials, milk daily, medical insurance and group supervision.

All camp activities will be held at Bartlett Park under supervision of the Tulare County YMCA. A free T-shirt will be given to each camper that registers Saturday, May 5.

## Flower Show

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holidays, dried material, and arrangements featuring Gladiolus.

Glasses are also set up for dish gardens or planters, bark gardens, bottles, and unrestricted. In the children's section are artistic arrangements and dry arrangements.

Entries will be taken from 8 a.m. until 10 a.m. on opening morning of the fair, Thursday, May 17; judging will start at 11 a.m. Vases, containers and plants cannot be removed until 10:30 p.m., Saturday, May 19.

Ribbon awards will go to first, second and third; a sweepstakes prize will go to the person winning the most blue ribbons.

Only one entry will be accepted from an exhibitor in each classification; exhibitor's name must appear on the bottom of each container; blue ribbon displays must be maintained in good condition for duration of the fair.

There is no entry fee; the flower show committee does not assume responsibility for loss or damage to displays, however, all possible care will be taken to prevent damage or loss.

## Record Entry

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Dale Smith, Bill Hamilton, Carl Mendez, Wilbur Plaugher, Bob A. Robinson, Harry Charters, Jim Rosier, Buddy Peak, and Paul Ernst. Leading women's barrel racers include Charlene Jespersion and Diana Chapman.

Survey of the Pacific Flyway shows an overall decline of seven per cent in waterfowl. However the goose population shows an 11 per cent gain.



VANDALIA 4-H club members are shown planting trees on the Porterville fair grounds as a community project — kneeling to apply a shot of vitamin liquid is George Crosiar; others, from left: Mike Bennett, Buck Bennett and John Crosiar. The group set out 12 fruitless mulberry trees in the area just south of the livestock barns. (Farm Tribune photo)

**SCHOLARSHIPS FROM** the University of California Alumni Club of Southeastern Tulare county, amounting to \$500 each, will be presented at the club's final dinner meeting of the season the evening of May 16 at the Starlite Inn; speaker of the evening will be Dr. Armin Rappaport, above, professor of history at Berkeley, and special assistant dean of students. David Gardner, of the California Alumni association, will accompany Dr. Rappaport. Reservations for the dinner can be made by contacting Jim McDaniel, in Porterville, or Harold Schutt, in Lindsay. (ASUC Photo)



## TIME CHANGED ON DEER HEARINGS

SACRAMENTO, May 3 — Hearing at the county courthouse in Visalia on special deer hunts in Tulare county has been changed from 8 p.m. to 2 p.m., on June 1.

## BEAR KILL BELOW AVERAGE

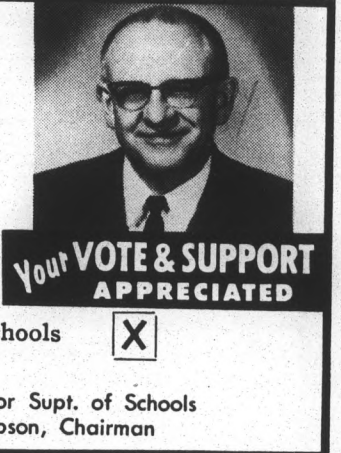
SACRAMENTO, May 3 — Hunters killed 841 bear during the 1961-62 season, a figure below the previous four-year average.

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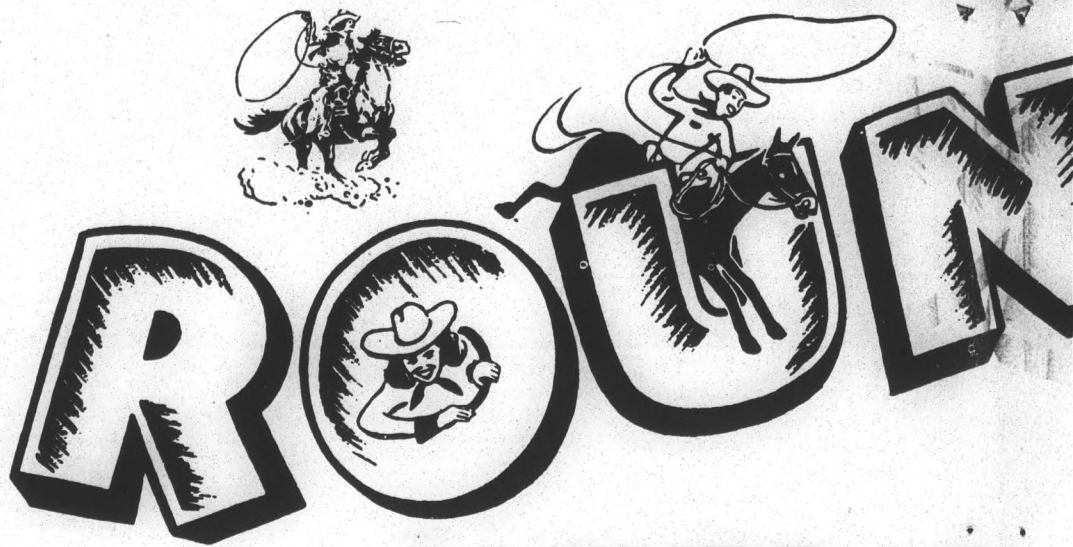


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# ROUND-UP

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MAY 5-6

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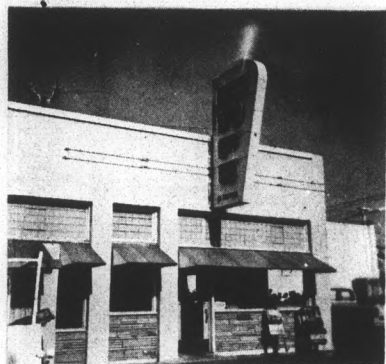


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### COWBOY GOLF TOURNAMENT

FRIDAY, MAY 4  
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### ROUND-UP EVENTS

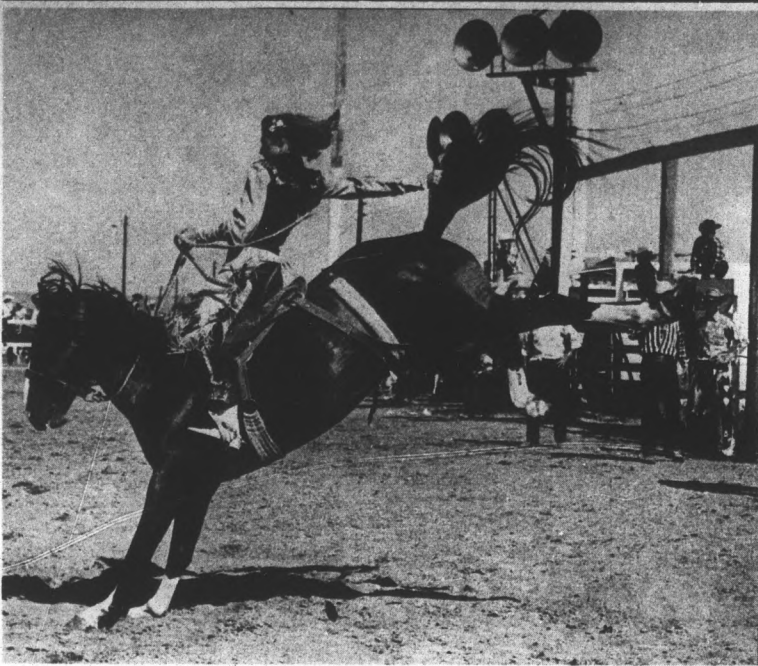
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FEATURED ATTRACTION at the Porterville Roundup, Saturday and Sunday afternoons in the Rocky Hill arena will be Corine Williams, of Fort Smith, Arkansas, ranked as the world's greatest woman rodeo performer. She will appear in exhibition bronc riding and steer wrestling. She also sings and accompanies herself on the steel guitar.

(DeVere Helfrich photo)

## News Of The SPRINGVILLE COMMUNITY

By WINNIE GAGE

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Springer of Porterville are announcing the birth of their first child, a daughter named Sandra Kay, weight, 5 lbs. 11 ozs., on April 15th. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. David Stringer of Porterville and Mr. and Mrs. Al Taylor of Springville.

The Springville Hospital Auxiliary Art Show will be Sunday, May 6th, from 1 to 5 p.m. in the Springville Memorial building.

It will show the work of an art

class of Edward Schoenfelt of the Porterville High School and include the work of many local artists. The donation of 50 cents will help the Auxiliary to help patients in the hospital. Refreshments will be served and the public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Radeleff and daughter Virginia drove to Palm Springs to visit their son Bob Radeleff and family during Easter vacation, also visiting his sister, Mrs. Rosie Weife, and families in



By SLIM WASHBURN

Tule River Sporting Goods — Springville



Cold rain slowed the opening day fishing on the Tule River watershed, but clear, warmer weather Sunday improved the situation a great deal.

Quite a few nice native trout were taken in all areas over the weekend — most of them on worms, helgramites and spinners. The fly fishermen had it rough with the water high and cold. The planted trout were sluggish and had to be worked for.

Water conditions should be

about the same for the coming weekend all through the Tule watershed. High and clear, but warmer water, however, should improve fishing. All regularly planted areas will be re-stocked this week, and bait fishing should be good.

If the water warms, fly fishermen should do much better on the fly-fishing section of the North Fork. The water is not too high on this fork, and is clear.

All back country is closed as yet.

# SALE

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Mr. and Mrs. John Spees were presented a golden colored tree rose and other gifts Wednesday night at the potluck supper in the Pleasant Valley Chapel in honor of their golden wedding anniversary.

John Spees and Eva Roberson were married April 24, 1912, in Visalia and have lived in this community all their married life. They have three children, J. B. Spees, who lives in Gardena; Mrs. Nadine Clark, in Point Pleasant, West Va., and Leland Spees in Wheeling, Ill.; eight grandchildren, and one great grandchild, who could not be here at this time but called and sent gifts.

The Springville Hobby Club held its April meeting last Friday in the home of Mrs. Ethel Rush with Mrs. Ann Baird and Mrs. Nell Southworth as hostesses.

Meeting was called to order by president Lucille Higgins. Roll call and minutes of March meeting were read by secretary, Florence Fitzpatrick.

Following the business part, the voting on hand-made hats was next with prizes going to Goldie Haggard, Winnie Gage and Mary Lunsford. Pictures were then taken.

Refreshments of cookies, candy, coffee and tea were served to the ones mentioned and Rose Van Ness, Juanita Radeleff, Jane Ballmes, Eda Spees and Jeannette Higgins. Guests were Mrs. Lottie Fleck, Mrs. Charles Stuart and Mrs. Hazel Covington.

May meeting will be on the patio at the Higgins home with a birthday potluck supper.

Misses Jeannette and Lucille Higgins recently made a trip to San Diego visiting cousins and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stanley of San Jose were over night guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Beeler and son Noble last week.

M/Sgt. and Mrs. J. R. Gage and children of Nellis A. F. B., Nev., were Friday night guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Gage, on their way to visit her parents in Menlo Park, who had just arrived from Hawaii and purchased a home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schlisnegger of Los Angeles were Easter weekend guests of her aunt, Mrs. Berniece Henson and cousin, Mrs. Pat Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Wortner were honored on their golden wedding anniversary, Sunday, in the Springville Memorial building with nearly 100 friends and relatives present for a potluck dinner.

They were married April 28, 1912, in Chicago. They have lived here one year, coming here from Fresno and buying a home on Highway 190.

They have three children, a son, Ludwig, Jr., of Los Angeles; son, Allen Wortner, of Fresno, and a daughter, Mrs. Martha Lizak, of Madera.

All the children and seven grandchildren were present; also Mr. Wortner's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wortner of Chicago, Ill.; a niece and husband,

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## SUMMER CAMP DATES SET IN YMCA PROGRAM

TULARE, May 3—Dates for 11 camping periods at YMCA Camp Tulequoia on beautiful Sequoia Lake, have been announced by Bruce Giffen, general secretary of the Tulare County YMCA. There is provision for camp for every member of the family.

Girls from 3rd to 8th grades will attend camp July 3-10; July 17-24 and July 31-August 7. Boys of grades 4 to 8 will be at Tulequoia June 26-July 3rd, or August 7-14, and boys of grades 3 to 6 will also be able to go July 10-17 or July 24-31. Younger boys can get a three day taste of camping at Midget camp June 24-26. Co-Ed Camp for high school youth is scheduled for August 25 to September 1. Father and Son and Family camps will be held June 8-10 and September 1-3 respectively.

Giffen also announced that sign-up day for camp will be Saturday, May 5 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. a registration points in Dinuba, Exeter, Lindsay, Orosi, Porterville, Richgrove, Terra Belal and Tulare. Every child signing up on this day will receive a free camp T-shirt or cap.

Harvest of tomatoes in Imperial and Coachella valleys is picking up.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kubick of Seattle, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Tony Wortner, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Wortner, Jr., of Tulare; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Berman of Sherman Oaks; Mr. and Mrs. Loddie Lizak, Fresno; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Tackuen of Bakersfield; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sleye and children of Oildale.

The honorees received many lovely gifts and cards.

The April meeting of the Springville 4-H Club was held in the Memorial building with 13 members present.

The treasurer's report was given by Larry Armer; \$282.83 was earned by the Club at the Springville Rodeo before expenses were taken out. A tour of the Lindsay Telephone Exchange and a project tour was planned.

Mrs. George Sturm and Mrs. Jess Stephenson of the Springville Gem Shop were guests and showed and talked on their many types of interesting stones.

A demonstration on food preparation was given by Deborah Choate and Patricia Murphy. The meeting ended at 8:30.

Barbara Brand, Reporter

## Leo Kerr Takes Over Farm Feed Store

PORTERVILLE, May 3 — Leo Kerr has taken over operation of the Porterville Feed and Farm Supply store on West Olive street, formerly Harris Brothers Feed store.

Kerr recently sold his interest in the Wishon resort to Jerry Caya.

## QUARANTINE ISSUED ON MUSSELS

SACRAMENTO, May 3—A state department of public health order has placed a quarantine on mussels along the entire California ocean shore, including all harbors, bays and inlets. The order is effective from May 1 through October 31 during the period when mussels may concentrate a toxic material that is highly poisonous to man.

Very few watermelons will be available from the desert districts of southern California until the first week in June. The crop is about two weeks behind normal development.

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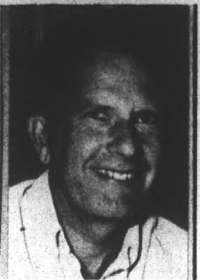
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## BEST FAT STOCK

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ber of feeder animals competing and also some breeding animals. A new section offered this year in the beef section is a club group which consists of five animals shown previously as individuals, all owned by members of the same club, with not more than two animals owned by one individual. Each 4-H club in the county is limited to one group.

One of the biggest market swine shows for several years will be seen when the hogs are judged also on Friday evening. Nearly 50 animals are scheduled to compete in the market classes, all of which hope to be eligible for sale in the fat stock sale on Saturday afternoon. In addition, there will be some keen competition in the feeder classes and in the breeding classes, particularly among the Hampshire and Yorkshire breeds. There will also be a club group available for the first time this year for five market hogs with the same restrictions described for the beef club group.

The Fat Stock sale will be held Saturday, May 5, at 1:30 p.m., in the livestock pavilion. The public is invited to see the showing of the livestock and dairy animals, as well as purchase the best beef, lambs, and barrows for their locker.

The sheep division will also have a large exhibit. Nearly 50 fat lambs are competing for ribbons and for the championship which would permit that animal to sell first in the Fat Stock sale on Saturday. These animals will also be judged Friday evening.

Exhibitors in all three divisions will be watched carefully during the judging to see whether they qualify for showmanship. Those that do will be eligible to compete in the showmanship contest on Saturday morning. Beef will lead off at 9:00 a.m., followed by sheep at 10:00 and swine at 11:00 a.m.

Officials are expecting the largest dairy show in the history of 4-H club work in Tulare county. There has been a growing interest in dairy projects, prompted by the dairy springer program which was launched two years ago. Dairy exhibitors will bring their animals to the fairgrounds Friday afternoon and evening. They will be judged Saturday morning, starting at 9:00 a.m. There will be two show rings, one for Holsteins and one for other dairy breeds.

The dairy exhibitors will also compete in a club group. Last year, eight 4-H clubs competed in this contest. Exhibitors can also compete with young herds, which consists of one bull and two fe-

## NOBLE IS

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Twenty central California schools participated in the event.

Noble, Bob McClosky and Walt Means placed ninth as a team in overall competition; judging was based on tractor driving; identification of machinery parts; farm machine adjustment, and safety.

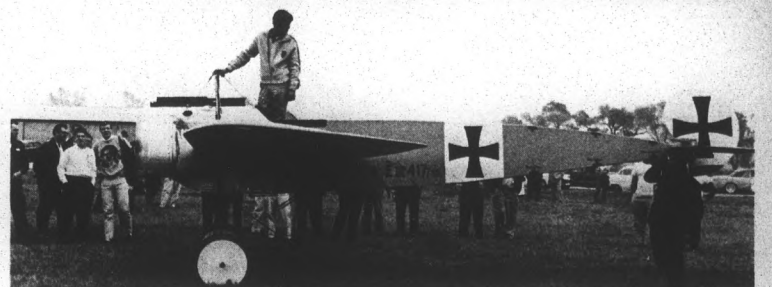
Placing seventh in agricultural mechanics was a Porterville team composed of Bruce Anderson, who rated fifth individual in welding; Tony Canales, and Paul Ramirez. Both teams will compete in state finals field day at Cal Poly this coming weekend.

males, all senior yearlings or younger, owned by the exhibitor and entered as individuals. They can also compete in the produce of dam, which consists of two animals, produced from the same cow owned by the exhibitor and entered as individuals.

The dairy exhibitors will compete for showmanship in the same way the livestock exhibitors do during the time their animals are judged. Those who do, may compete in a showmanship contest to be held immediately following the completion of dairy judging.

The 4-H members enrolled in the tractor project will show their skills during the fair. First, they will take a written examination on things they have learned in the tractor project. Then, they will compete in a preliminary driving contest either Friday evening from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m., or Saturday morning from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. They will compete as first and second year tractor members in the junior division, or as third and fourth year members in the senior division. Anyone who is 15 years or older will automatically be classed as a senior regardless of the year in the tractor project.

Members having the five highest scores from each division in the preliminary driving will then compete in the championship contest, Saturday, May 5, at 12:45 p.m. The contest will take place in the lot just east of the machinery building. This contest, along with all other events of the annual 4-H Fair, are free to the public.



INDUSTRIAL AVIATION, of Porterville, built the LeRhone rotary engine that powers this restored Fokker E-3, World War I German fighting plane, that was built up and flown for the first time last week by Major James S. Appleby, of Norton Air Force base. Top photo shows Major Appleby and "Butch" and Joe Pfeifer, of Industrial aviation beside the Fokker; lower photo shows Butch ready to take off and put the plane through its paces for benefit of television cameras. Joe Pfeifer consulted with Major Appleby several times while the plane was under construction; it is the only flying replica of the deadly World War I plane. Maj. Appleby may hanger the plane at Porterville for a period of time during the summer.

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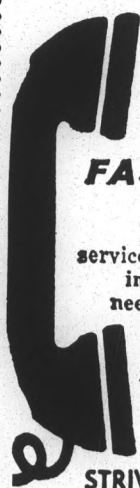
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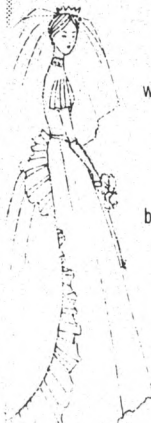
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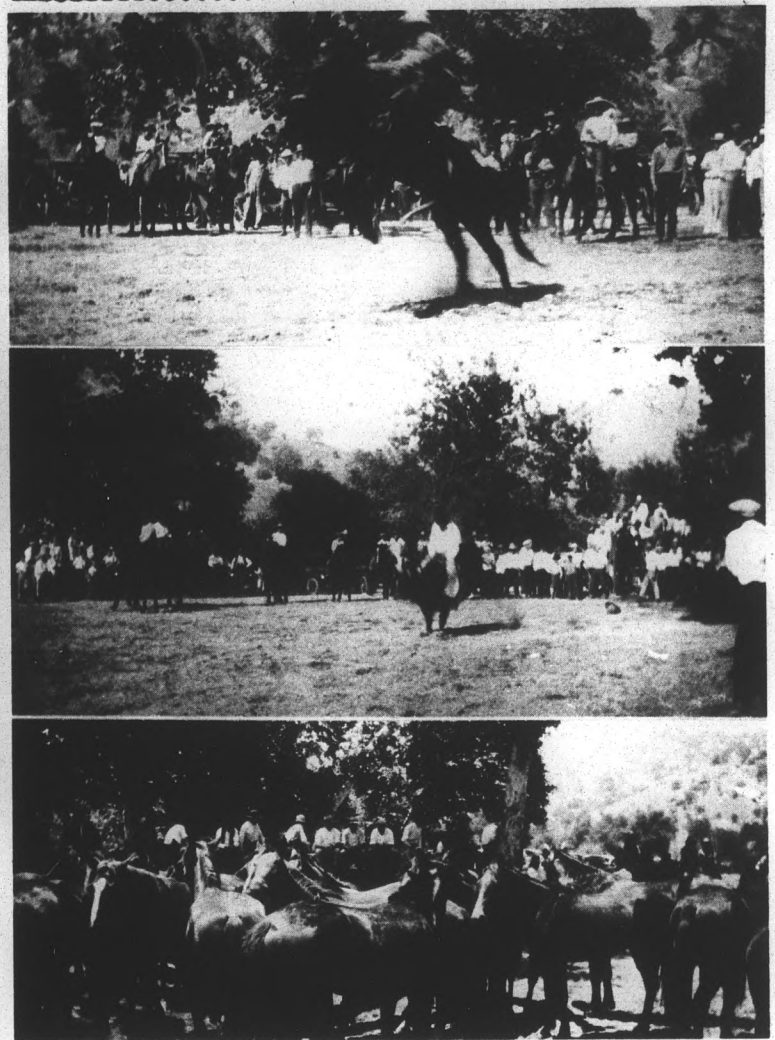
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##### NOTICE TO CREDITORS No. 16185

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Estate of  
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Dated April 18, 1962.

**MAUDE B. KOEPP**, Executrix of the Will of the above named decedent

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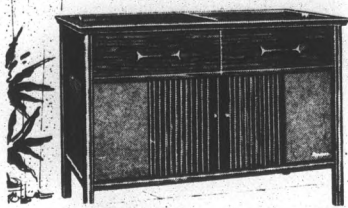
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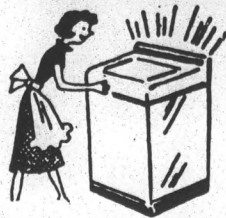
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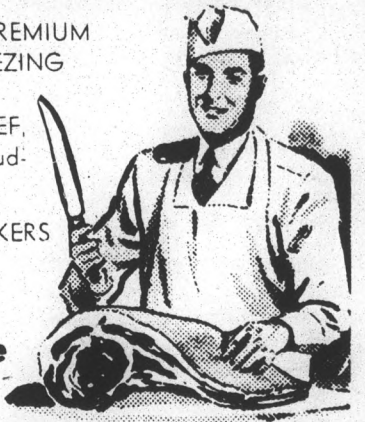
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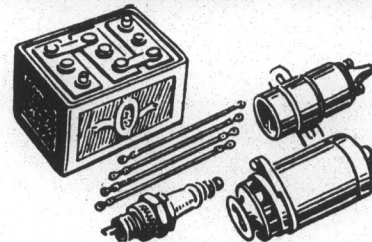


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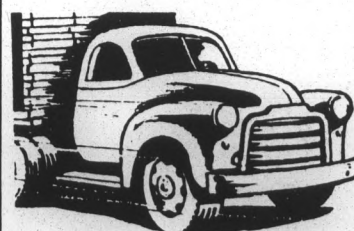


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# Baseball Speed-Up Backed By Mays

By L. H. GREGORY  
Sports Editor, The Oregonian

Baseball must speed up. Everyone is beginning to realize it. President Dewey Soriano of the Pacific Coast league as a first step announces strict enforcement this season of the 20-second rule for pitchers with no one on base, and Portland will install an outfield time clock so fans can help the umpire count. However, that's only a first step; the rule can't be applied with men on because a pitcher must be free to throw to bases if he wishes, and it probably won't be often that one with bases empty takes more than 20 seconds. So, other steps must be taken.

What should these be? We asked that of veteran pitcher and scout Carl Mays, who will be much with Portland this season under his new appointment as scout for sponsoring Kansas City. Carl is extremely happy about his prospective close connection with the Beavers, working with Bill Posedel, as Pacific Coast scout for though in his great 17 years as the winningest of all major league submarine pitchers few realized it, he was originally a Portland boy. He lived here in youth with his uncle, the late Franklin Pierce Mays at 761 Flanders (what now would be NW Flanders), and an early professional engagement was with the McCredie-owned Portland Colts. He has always looked forward eventually to a baseball connection with Portland (he once did pitch here after his major league service, but not long), and now it comes.

## Bear Down on Managers

Here's how Carl Mays answers the question of how to speed up baseball and get it back to an average of not longer than two hours playing time, but preferably even less: "First, and most important, for it's the managers who



CARL MAYS

Has Ideas On Faster Games

perhaps raising some inconsequential issue with the umpire while a new pitcher is warming up, before finally going out a second time to lift the hurler. None of that should be permitted. I'd invoke a stiff penalty of some kind on the manager who took longer than a specified number of minutes for any pitcher change other than for injury.

"Next, I wouldn't let the batter step out of his batter's box, once he is in it, and horse around. As recently as my major league pitching time — my last major league year was 1931 — if the batter stepped out to complain, or rub dirt on his hands or for anything less serious than an actual bona fide something in his eye, the umpire would wave to the pitcher to go ahead and pitch — and believe me, unless it was way off the plate that pitch always would be a strike. This would eliminate another great cause of senseless delay. There is no reason why a batter should be permitted to step out once he's in there, other than at risk that a pitch will be called on him.

"Mostly it's just alibi, anyway. He has looked bad on some pitch and tries to alibi to the spectators by making a complaint. Don't permit it; or if he does, let the pitcher deliver the ball regardless.

"I recall one time when Rabbit Maranville, with Bill Klem umpiring, stepped out to holler at my first pitch, which was low and inside, on the border line. Klem called it a strike, and when Maranville complained Klem called out to me, 'Pitch.' I did, for strike two. Maranville began crying and shouting his displeasure, whereupon Klem motioned to me to pitch again, and I did for strike three and out.

"There is no baseball rule permitting batters to step out and argue, they have just got into the habit of doing it by saying 'Time,' and the umpires have let them get away with it. An umpire doesn't have to grant 'Time,' you know. The umps have become complacent, and batters consequently take more and more leeway. Stop it, and calling pitches on them is the way to do it.

"And then," continued Mays, "I agree with the late Ty Cobb that when the pitcher desires purposely to put a batter on first base, it doesn't make sense nor contribute to the game to have him pitch it out. Just indicate first base to the umpire, and let that be that. Once in fifteen coon's ages a batter may hit a wide ball on an intentional pass, but it happens so seldom it need not be taken into account. Put him on, without all that todo of four wide pitches.

## 'Draggy' Play Hurts Game

"I have been in professional baseball since 1912. I love the game and hate to see it spoiled by draggy play, especially when this can be stopped without any new rules simply by enforcing present rules and the traditional procedure of the past. These delays have come on the game gradually. One fellow does something, the umpires let him get away with it, and a precedent is established. Another player goes a little farther, the next farther yet and the result is that baseball is so slowed up that there is no more color in it. Yet played as it should be it has always had action and color and personality. Just return to the good ways and it can be brought back.

"I say, let's give the game back to the public that pays its dollar. Give back the kind of baseball the fans used to have, and you won't see this trend away from the game. Critics of its slowness and drabness are not just talking through their hats. Let's give baseball back to the public. I know it can be done.

"I pitched game after game in 1:27, 1:29, 1:30 and even less, simply by pitching as soon as I got my sign, so know it can be done without working hardship. In fact, 1:40 would be a long game for me. Of course, too, I was a nine-inning pitcher, and time seldom had to be taken to put in a reliever.

(Carl Mays, the famous old-time submarine baseball pitcher who played with Babe Ruth at Boston and New York, and who also pitched the first game for the New York Yankees in Yankee stadium, is a brother of O. C. Mays, Success Valley rancher.)

## Opposition Voiced To Proposed National Farm Labor Recruitment Legislation Now Pending In Congress

EXETER, May 3 — Passage of the proposed national farm labor recruitment bill would tend to perpetuate rather than stabilize migration of farm workers and it would give the secretary of labor powers that would make him "policeman, prosecutor, judge, jury and court of appeals".

That was the charge made by O. W. Fahrney, executive director of the Tulare County Farmers association in voicing the opposition of his group to S-1129 by Senator Harrison Williams of New Jersey.

The bill is one of a series dealing with migrants. Introduced during the last session of Congress, S. 1129 would authorize the secretary of labor to recruit people

from all over the United States, transport them to centralized points, house, feed and provide medical care during this period, and then attempt to place them in seasonal farm jobs.

Fahrney believes the bill will tend to perpetuate migration of farm laborers because, as he says, "We have hundreds of examples to show that, once a bureaucracy becomes established, it is utterly impossible to curtail its activities. It would be only natural for the department of labor to stay in the business of moving vast numbers of people around the country to perpetuate its power and prestige."

## The Farm Tribune BILLBOARD

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- 5 - Strathmore Homecoming
- 5-6 - Porterville Roundup
- 11 - Panther Band concert
- 14-19 - Agri-Business Week
- 17-18-19 - Porterville Fair
- 18 - Dedication, Success Dam
- 25 - Co. Chamber Banquet, Giant Forest

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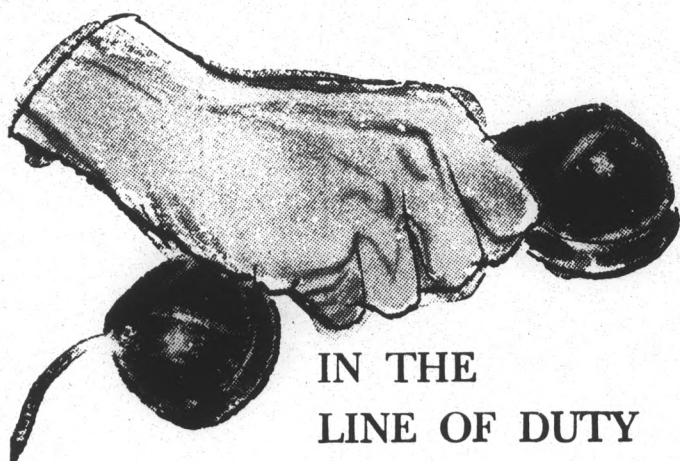
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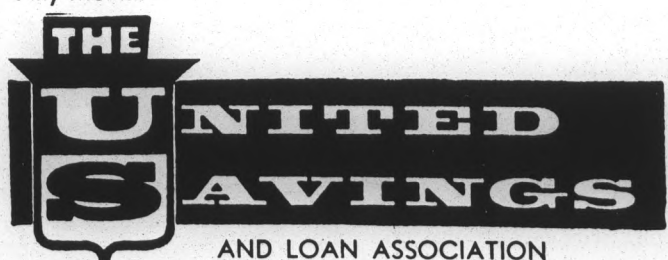
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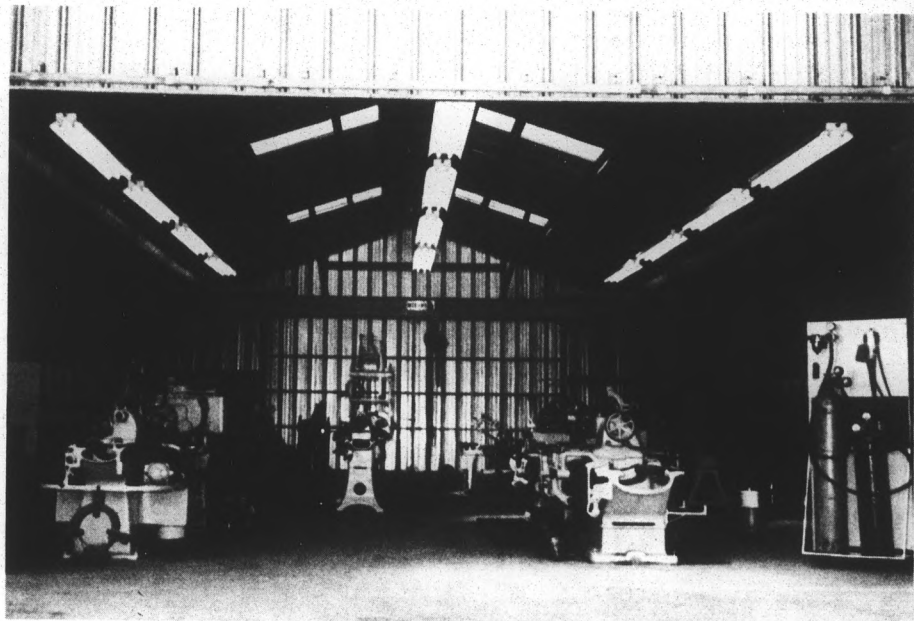
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## YOUR LEGISLATOR

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enter our public schools by 1964. To build the rooms to hold them during 1963 and 1964, \$200 million will be needed.

Arguments against the measure are short. First, the amount is too low; it should be \$250 million. Second, the

measure should have been put on the November ballot, so more voters could pass on it.

Proposition No. 2 calls for a bond issue of \$250 million to continue the Cal-Vet program of loans to veterans for the purchase of farms and homes.

The arguments for this bond issue are, first, that the program is self-supporting since both principal and interest on

the bonds is paid by the veterans who receive the loans. Second, there are still 380,000 California veterans who have verified their eligibility for loans, but have not yet had the opportunity to get them.

Arguments against the measure are two. First, the potential debt involved in the program is almost \$4 billion. If bad times were to hit, so veterans could not repay their loans, taxpayers would be in serious trouble. Second, it's too costly a program to benefit only 125,000 individuals out of 16 million Californians.

Proposition No. 3 is for a \$270 million issue for general state buildings. Arguments for it are also two. First, since 65 per cent of the general fund revenues are committed to local assistance, no more funds can be expected from it during the next two years for building needs. Second, 80 per cent of the revenues from this issue will be needed to meet the needs of the University

and colleges, the balance for mental hospitals and correctional facilities.

Principal arguments against the bonds are, first, that approval of the issue would give the Legislature a blank check for the total amount, to spend anyway it wishes. Second, it would be cheaper to build on a pay-as-you-go basis, since interest adds 50 per cent to the cost of building with bond money.

Proposition No. 4 is a \$100 million bond issue for loans to local agencies for low-cost housing for elderly and handicapped persons. Arguments for it are that it would relieve taxpayers of much expense for hospitals and other institutions by taking the elderly, low-income persons out of slums, and that the number of elderly individuals will increase by a third in the next ten years.

Arguments against it are, first, a federal program now provides ample housing for the elderly, and second, the proposed \$100 million would provide less than 10,000 units of housing for a privileged few of all the elderly.

Proposition No. 5 calls for a \$150 million bond issue for parks and recreation. The principal argument for it is that we must act now to buy the land cheaply for our rapidly growing recreational needs. The main argument against it is that it would deprive the very counties in which more lands would be bought of tax revenues necessary for their efficient operation.

### CINCO DE MAYO EVENT SUNDAY AT BALL PARK

PORTERVILLE, May 3 — A colorful Cinco De Mayo program, commemorating Mexican independence, is set for the Porterville municipal ball park Sunday, with a dance slated for Sunday night at the VFW hall.

Queen of the celebration is Rosemary Reyes; in her court are: Mary Roman, Evelyn Salas, Olivia Jimenez and Mary Fabela.

### Henry Foley Selected For Study In France

PORTERVILLE, May 3 — On a basis of national screening, Henry Foley, of the Porterville high school faculty, has been selected to attend a nine-week course this summer at Tours, France; he will be with 80 other secondary teachers, picked from 465 applicants.

The course will cover an intensive study program of linguistics, culture and methods in native language. Sponsoring the program is the University of Oregon, under terms of the National Educational Defense act.

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By  
Rev. N. J.  
Thompson

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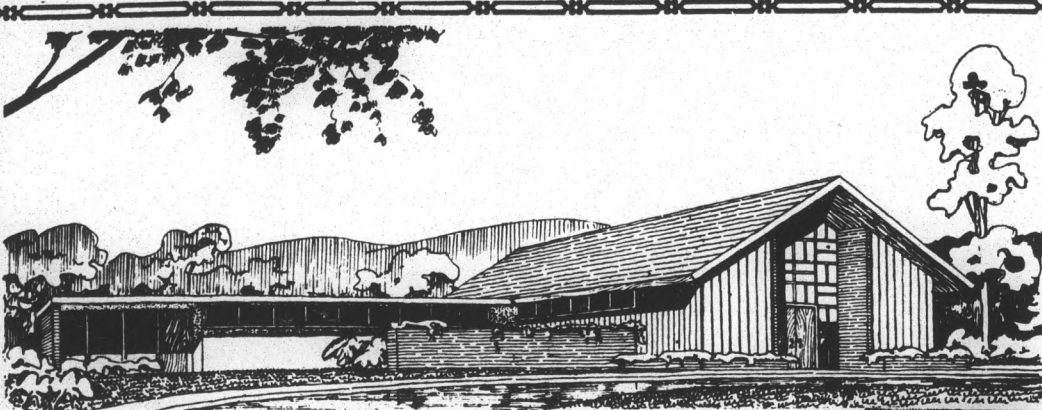
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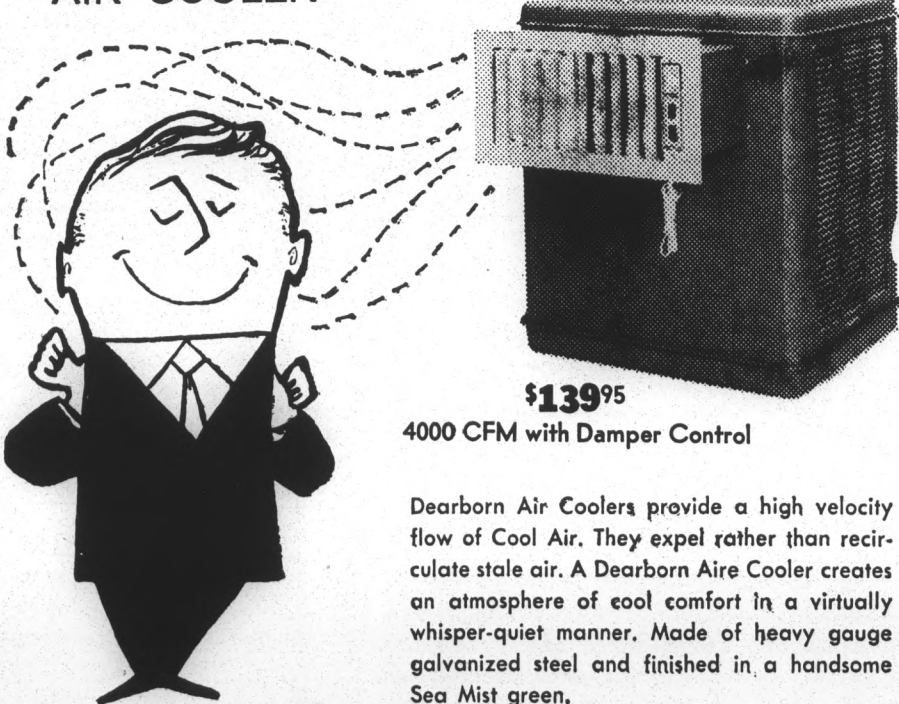
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